Scientific Integrity—Lecture (Extraordinary Circumstances, newly opened section for GCB Students)

Date: Next lecture February 23, 2021
Time: 2 hours, 12:15 -14:15
Organizers/Speaker: GCB; Prof. Dr. Torsten Ochsenreiter, Institute of Cell Biology
Venue: Zoom / ILIAS

Lecture Description:
Basic rules of good scientific practice such as sincerity and honesty, openness, self-criticism, self-discipline, ethical reflection and fairness are of prime importance in all research activities and are prerequisites for the credibility and acceptance of science.

The aim of the lecture «Scientific Integrity» is to give an introduction to the central rules of good scientific practice to PhD candidates of all fields and to raise their awareness for common international standards for scientific integrity that concern their own work.

Topics will include:
- Principles of scientific integrity
- Planning of research projects
- Realisation of research projects
- Misconduct in the scientific context
- Procedures at the University of Bern
- Impact of scientific misconduct on society and consequences for the research community

The lecture will be held in English and provides time for discussion.

This lecture is mandatory for all PhD candidates at least once during their PhD, and the lecture needs to be taken during the first two years of the doctoral work. Attendants will be requested to register their name on the attendance list available after the lecture, in order to document their presence.

Credits: No ECTS awarded, since no performance assessment is included.
Registration: Advance Registration via KSL required.
CTS/KSL: Register via KSL